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1. It has been reported that a Latin American Conference of Intellectuals for Peace is being planned in Communist journalistic circles in Brazil. The conference is to be held either in Montevideo or Buenos Aires and will be attended by journalists from all Latin American countries. Support for the conference is being solicited in Rio under the direction of the well-known Communist journalist Spencer Bittencourt, who is active in the Associação Brasileira da Imprensa (ABI).
2. Another activity which is being pushed by the Communists in ABI circles is the campaign to elect directors for the Sindicato dos Jornalistas Profissionais do Rio de Janeiro (Rio Syndicate of Professional Journalists). The Communists are supporting the ticket headed by Porto da Silveira and including various Communist candidates, among whom is Jocelyn Santos,* an outstanding Communist journalist and a member of the ABI Consultative Council.

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